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## DARK CLOUD PASSES.

### BRITAIN'S COAL CRISIS SETTLED.

#### MINER'S TELEGRAM.

#### "Notices Suspended—Continue Working."

The dark cloud that has been hanging over British industry passes with the eleventh hour settlement of the coal crisis.

#### PREMIER CHEERED.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, July 31.

The coal crisis has been settled.

London, July 31.

The House of Commons, crowded, cheered the Premier when he entered.

Mr. Baldwin announced that the mine owners' notices had been suspended for a fortnight and the men had been ordered by the executive to remain at work.

Mr. Baldwin also stated that a provisional agreement had been reached with the mine owners, subject to district confirmation. The Miners' Executive was sending out the following telegram:—"Notices suspended—Continue working."

Mr. Baldwin added that if there was any local hitch owing to the lateness of the hour at which the settlement was reached he trusted all the parties would co-operate to remove it.

Mr. J. R. Clynes (Labour) expressed his very great sense of relief.

Mr. Lloyd George (Liberal) associated himself with Mr. Clynes' words with regard to the relief felt by the whole community that this dark cloud had not at present broken upon British industry.

Asked with regard to the conditions reached, Mr. Baldwin said that the negotiations had only been concluded within the last five minutes. Mr. Churchill would have certain information which would be published to-night. The matter could be discussed if necessary next week, probably on Thursday.

#### Obstacles Overcome.

London, July 31.

The settlement of the coal crisis followed a series of conferences between the Premier, the parties to the dispute and the Trade Union Congress Committee.

It is understood the discussions in the morning related chiefly to the form and scope of the financial assistance proposed by the Government in order to bridge over the crisis and enable full investigation of the conditions of the industry.

A number of difficulties presented themselves, the main issue being the extent of this assistance.

It is understood the owners strongly urged that Government aid should be sufficient to secure the reopening of the pits closed during the recent depression.

Mr. Cook stated that the miners' wages and conditions would continue the same until the spring or at least nine months during the sitting of the commission of enquiry into the coal industry.

The Trade Union Congress Committee circulated the trade unions announcing that the coal owners and Miners' Federation had accepted the Government proposal and the embargo on the movement of coal had been withdrawn. Work was to be continued by all the unions involved.

#### Government's Assistance.

London, July 31.

The Government's assistance to the coal mines will take the form of subvention to aid wage for 9 months till May 1, 1926, during which wages are to be paid on the basis of the 1924 agreement, but if any month wages—calculated in accordance with the recognised ratio of division between wages and profits—are anywhere lower than the 1924 minimum the deficiency will be provided by the Exchequer, while any month in which it is estimated the average profit where the subvention is payable exceeds 1s. 6d. a ton the excess will be used in reducing the subvention. The cost involved to the Exchequer cannot at present be forecasted as it must depend on the course of trade.

#### Earlier Cable.

London, July 31.

It is officially announced that the coal-owners have withdrawn

#### TO-DAY'S DOLLAR

The closing rate of the dollar on demand, to-day was 2/11 1/2.

their notices for a fortnight in compliance with the Premier's request.

London, July 31.

The coal-owners' and miners' representatives separately considered the new situation this morning. The coal-owners' discussion was so prolonged that they were unable to meet Mr. Baldwin, the Premier, at the time appointed. They were anxious to know the precise terms of Mr. Baldwin's offer of temporary financial assistance before replying. Apparently an early announcement in the newspapers that the coal-owners have withdrawn their notices is premature, as the Secretary of the Mining Association

## ABSURD.

### Returned Workers' Demands.

#### AMAZING ATTITUDE.

DISMISSAL OF EUROPEAN SOUVENIR!

To-day being the first of the month was looked to by many to bring forth new developments in connection with the strike in Hongkong in connection with which there have been so many signs lately of the so-called strikers realizing the foolishness of their action. There was ever any danger of returned workers leaving again en bloc the fear of deportation to Canton has evidently been too strong for them and no further developments are to be reported this morning.

It must have been in a spirit of pure bravado that over 20 cossacks, engineers and lighter men previously employed in connection

## STRIKE BOSSES.

### KONGMOON'S SOUND COMMONSENSE.

#### ORDER TO DEPART.

#### General Rebuffs Red Labourites.

About three hundred strikers returning to Hongkong have to thank a Chinese military officer who, by his action, condemned the Communist policy of espousing the cause of Canton's labour chieftains.

The "China Mail's" Paktol correspondent has already reported an incident in which strikers pickets set sail in long row boats and took off a large number of passengers from a departing steamer, the passengers being mostly workers returning to Hongkong.

It now appears that the strike bosses at that port have not been allowed to do as they please nor to dominate men and women who do not wish to remain any longer.

A report has reached Hongkong and has been confirmed that a military officer at Kongmoon, with pronounced anti-Bolshevik lean-

ings, has taken it on himself to snub the strikers by escorting passengers to ships departing for Macao, from whence a change may be made for Hongkong.

It is stated that twenty picked soldiers were told off to protect about three hundred people embarking by the s.s. Foo Cheong from Pakkai for Macao. Those departing were put on board small boats at Kongmoon and conveyed to the steamer where the military soon let it be known that they would brook no interference. As it was the strikers pickets could do nothing but stare and the workers sailed in peace. They will have reached Macao in due course from whence they are expected to make for Hongkong.

#### Where the Money Comes From.

According to a merchant from Canton, Liu Chung-oi, the present Finance Minister, is receiving about \$600,000 per month from the salt revenue. Of this \$400,000 is remitted to support the Whampoa Cadets, leaving \$200,000 for the Treasury.

Liu, who has always been a labour politician, is reported in the vernacular papers to be distributing \$6,000 (Canton subsidiary silver) per day to the Strike leaders for the maintenance of the strikers in Canton. This, however, is not enough. Accordingly a loan of \$350,000 is being sought from private, native banks.

## LOADED PISTOL.

### SHAUKWAN ROAD FIND.

Two Magistrates sat together, under powers invested in them by a recent "Gazette" announcement, to try an arms case at the Police Court this morning.

Divisional Inspector Blackman prosecuted two Chinese for the possession of a revolver, loaded in four chambers.

Accused pleaded "not guilty." It is alleged that Sergeant Gough led a picket along the Shaukwan main road. When near No. 4 bridge, which is about 150 yards from the tram terminus, he saw accused acting suspiciously and challenged them. As the sergeant and a Chinese constable went up, accused are stated to have discarded the revolver which was subsequently recovered by Sergeant Gough.

After evidence had been given and accused had denied possession, Mr. S. B. B. McElderry and Mr. R. A. D. Forrest adjourned the case till 10 a.m. on Wednesday.

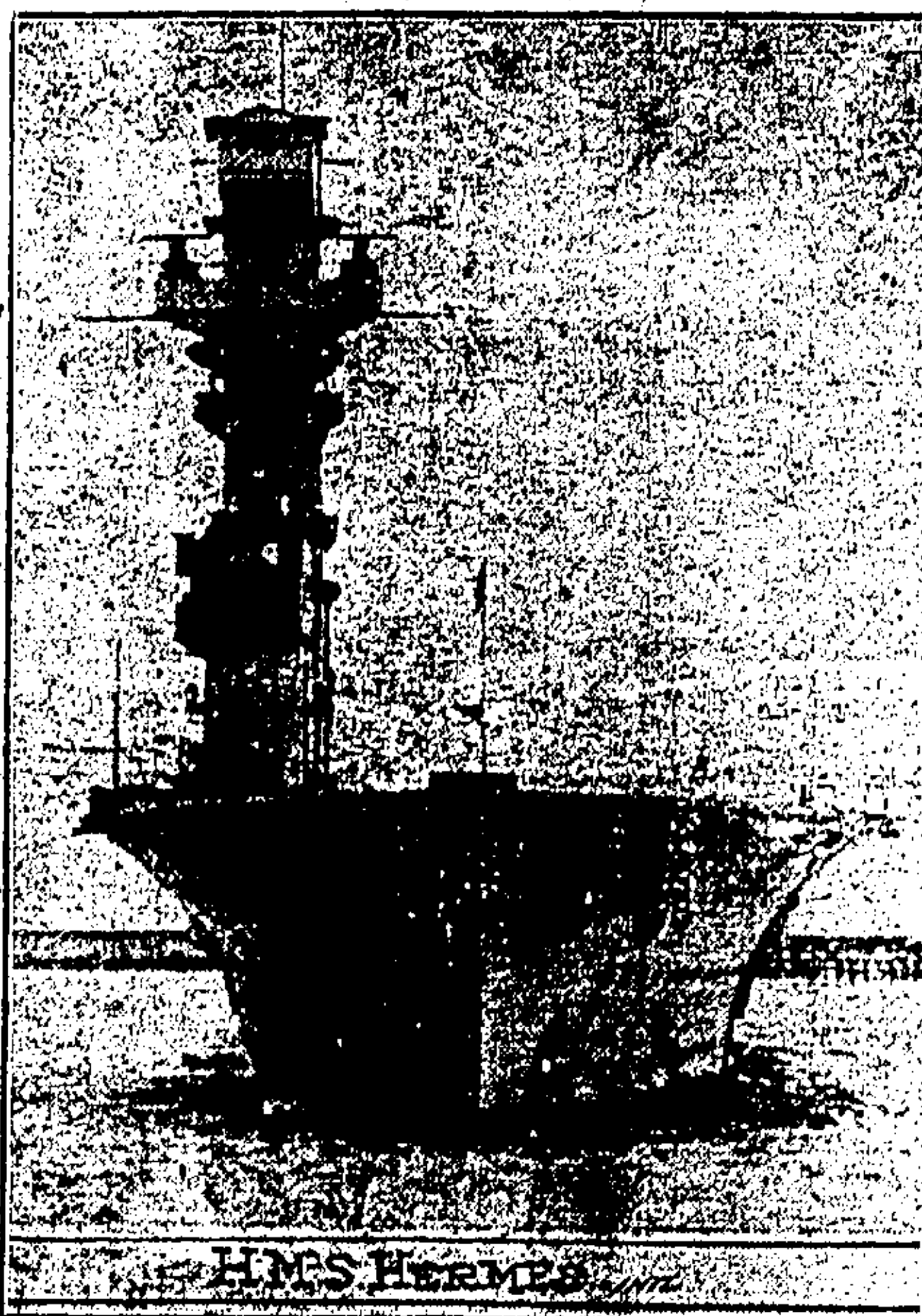
Bail of \$7,500 was allowed to a Chinese prosecuted at the Central Magistracy this morning by Revenue Officer Beattie for attempting to export saltfish. The case was remanded for a week when important developments are anticipated.

strict not far from the Canton-Kowloon Railway, in spite of all the threats of Canton's crack regiment, the Whampoa Cadets. More recently the strike leaders have been paying more attention to up-country ports where there are possibilities of produce being shipped away to Hongkong, or passengers finding a way out of their confinement to return to work.

Some of the local merchants have entertained a number of strike delegates at tea to discuss regulations for conducting business. It is an open secret that the majority of merchants dare not resist the strikers. But at the same time, under a cloak of sympathy, are trying to separate as favourably as possible.

It is also reported that the military in Hongkong are helping strikers by supplying them with food and other necessities.

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tion, in an interview with Reuter, at 11.30 a.m., said the question of withdrawal of notices was still being considered.

Replying to a question in the House of Commons, Lieut.-Commander Eyres Monsell said that Mr. Baldwin was still unable to make a statement as negotiation were still proceeding.

## STRIKE OVER.

### AUSTRALIAN SEAMEN TO RESUME.

(Reuter's Service.)

Melbourne, July 31.

The shipping strike in regard to which the Seamen's Union has telegraphed all branches arguing acceptance of the agreement reached by the sub-committee of the conference of owners and seamen.

## DAYLIGHT ROBBERY.

Five men who are alleged to have carried out an armed robbery in Kowloon at the residence of Mrs. Pablo Rojas were committed for trial at the Criminal Sessions yesterday after a hearing at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court. Witnesses alleged against them that they were the men who knocked at the door of the house in question, in Tung Hing Road, and on being admitted by the amah, gagged and bound the inmates, relieving them of their valuables which amounted to about \$180.

The robbery occurred during the Hifin hour and one of the victims was Mr. J. A. G. de Berardo, who was on a visit and participating in the meal at the time. He was bound and gagged, his money, watch, ring and other valuables were taken, and he was then released while the other four men fled.

## STRIKERS' COURTS?

### RESULT OF FRICTION IN CANTON.

#### COMPLAINT AGAINST MILITARY.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

(Received via tow-boat and Macao.)

Canton, July 29.

That Canton's Strike Executive is becoming more and more estranged from the sympathy of the more conservative element of the Kuomintang Government is evident from a dispute which is being violently contested between the strikers and the authorities.

To-day the Strike Executive announced that they would petition the Government for permission to set up their own courts of justice to try their own cases. The strikers have been keenly disappointed because men they have arrested as "enemies" and "spies" have been liberated by responsible police officials to whom they were sent for custody. It is hinted that the Executive desires to usurp the ordinary power of local law officers to achieve their own ends. Over thirty men have been captured by strike pickets, and many of them have not been dealt with as the strikers would have wished. There has been friction already between the Police and the Executive, and an article in a Canton vernacular paper speaks in no uncertain terms as to what is wanted.

Canton's Strike Executive has sent a telegram to the Shaikwan Magistrate pointing out that the military in Hongkong are helping strikers by supplying them with food and other necessities.

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The REGISTER OF MEMBERS of the Company will be CLOSED from THURSDAY, 18TH AUGUST to WEDNESDAY, 26TH AUGUST, 1925, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,  
W. F. SIMMONS,  
Secretary.  
Hongkong, July 29, 1925.

### NOTICE.

JULY TELEPHONE DIRECTORY.

The English Section of the July edition of the Telephone Directory is now available at the following addresses, between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. on week days:—

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By Order,  
LOWE, BINGHAM & MATTHEWS,  
Secretaries,  
FIRE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF HONGKONG.

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Hongkong, 30th July, 1925.

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The REGISTER OF SHARES of the Company will be closed from MONDAY, the 7th September, 1925, to SATURDAY, the 12th September, 1925 (both days inclusive) during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors,  
KAN TONG PO,  
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Hongkong, 25th July, 1925.

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With reference to the offer of new shares dated the 10th June, 1925 (made to existing shareholders of the Company) by the terms of which the sum of \$30 per share was to be paid on or before the 15th July, 1925, and the sum of \$30 per share on or before the 15th October, 1925, the Directors have decided that as regards those shareholders (having a registered address in the Far East) who do not feel themselves (owing to present circumstances) in a position to accept the Company's offer on or before the 15th July, 1925, a further opportunity shall be given to them to take up the new shares.

Such shareholders may accordingly take up the new shares on or before the 15th day of September, 1925, or before the 15th day of September, 1925, and may pay the first instalment of \$30 per new share on or before that date. They will, however, be required to pay interest at 6 per cent. per annum on the amount of such first instalment from the 15th day of July, 1925, until the date of payment.

The second instalment of \$30 per share will be payable not later than the 15th December, 1925, and interest upon it will be payable from the 15th October, 1925, at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum until the date of payment.

This notice will not affect those shareholders who accept or have accepted the original offer and who make payment on the dates originally fixed i.e. as regards the first instalment on or before the 15th July, 1925, and as regards the second instalment on or before the 15th October, 1925.

By Order of the Board,  
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Hongkong, July 7, 1925.

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Dr. Yorks has been observing the progress of patients infected deliberately with malaria in order to cure them of general paralysis, and then cured of their malaria by quinine. He found that quite small doses of quinine given on a few occasions prevented relapses of malaria in all but 2 per cent. of those treated. The war experience of malaria treatment was very much less favourable than this, and hence the question arose: In what manner does quinine exercise its curative effect?

At one time that question was answered invariably by the positive statement that quinine is a specific poison of the malaria parasite and cures the disease by killing the parasite. Were this a complete explanation it would follow that the bigger the dose of quinine the quicker and more complete must be the cure. But actual experience shows that, on the contrary, big doses are often less effective in the long run than small ones. Hence the idea has risen that the influence of quinine is exerted indirectly rather than directly, and that the body itself plays a vital part in its own cure. Dr. Yorks stated:—"There is now almost overwhelming evidence that, within very broad limits, the amount of the daily dose of quinine, the length of time it is continued, and the manner of its administration do not exert any influence, either on whether or not a relapse occurs or on the time it will occur."

Further, he pointed out that there is definite evidence that quinine in concentrations considerably greater than could ever occur in the blood stream did not in vitro destroy all malarial parasites. The conclusion would seem to be:—

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Thus his cure depends to some extent on the man himself, and any factor which reduces his power of self-help must reduce his hope of cure. "What these factors are," said Dr. Yorks, "we can only speculate, but they may well be deficient nutrition, ill-health due to extraneous causes, exhaustion and strain, repeated infection, and lastly, and possibly not least, overdosing with quinine."

Considerable indignation was caused in Scotland by a London correspondent of an American paper, who referred to Caledonia's fine new Rugby ground outside Edinburgh as "Murrayfield, England." Scots should be placated by a letter that an American literary agent is broadcasting just now. He is recommending a story that will be of great interest to "Scottish and British boys."—"Daily Chronicle."

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## THE ROOT OF THE EVIL.

Reuter's cable in June on the occasion of the initial speech on the China situation of the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs (Mr. Austen Chamberlain) was comprehensive but of necessity not complete. Therefore comment on the speech at the time might have been a little unfair. However, now that verbatim Hansard reports have reached the Colony, it may now be said with all due authority that the real issue at stake was either shirked or lost sight of during the debate. This may have been due to the proverbial ignorance in which diplomats and politicians delight to keep the British public or to ignorance on their own part that in the course of a lengthy debate on "the present situation in China" the entire discussion should have centred round essentials and that there should have been no reference to the root cause of which these are but the outward symptoms. It was not until directly tackled on

the matter a few weeks later that the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs admitted that Soviet intrigue had brought the present disturbed conditions into being. Consequently the discussion recorded by these 21 closely printed pages in Hansard lose whatever value it might have had from the point of view of giving a truer impression of the conduct of foreign affairs and factories in Shanghai by unduly stressing this and thus giving an opening to the Labour Party to attribute the whole of the trouble to industrial conditions. That such an unfortunate early impression should have been allowed to get abroad is all the more astonishing when one notes that a participant in the debate was Mr. Looker, former Hongkong resident, who referred to "years of life in China," but who seems to have failed to recognize the hand of Bolshevism in the discontent, which he states has as its root cause "the natural and increasing desire of the Chinese nation, and particularly of its younger generation, to achieve a future for China free from foreign tutelage and leading strings." Verily such a statement merited the caustic comment of Sir John Jordan. In a letter to the "Times" Sir John wrote that he did not profess to understand the motives, which certain people seemed to have discovered as justifying respect for the student movement, but the objects which they and their Bolshevik supporters had repeatedly and openly stood for were the surrender of the interests acquired during eighty years of foreign intercourse and were totally incompatible with the continued existence of foreign trade and residence under present conditions in China. It is to be hoped that as many people read this expression of opinion of one who held the most important diplomatic post in China during the most vital period in its history as read

the misleading Parliamentary debate. Meanwhile Hongkong, thanks to the conveners of the Community meeting, can congratulate itself that it, too, has done its bit to dispel the ignorance existing as to the true state of affairs in China to-day, and it must rest its hope for the future on the strength of the Powers concerned to join hands and take strong measures to prevent the spread of the canker of Bolshevism.

## "TAKE MEN AND MONEY."

The idea of conscripting both men and money in the event of war, is gaining ground. The world war saw the almost universal adoption of conscription, as it related to man-power, by countries concerned, but not that of wealth. An approach to such a state of affairs was made when, as in the case of Britain, certain industries were temporarily nationalised and prompt and effective use was made of them to speed on the war to a successful conclusion. The extension of this idea is summed up in the words: "The whole power of national service, lives and property, for the defence of the nation." Those who seek to promote the adoption of the suggestion, and are urging legislation on it, hail principally from America and Canada. They argue that war can only be effectively, and economically, carried on, and quickly brought to a conclusion, if conscription of wealth and man-power is the rule and not the exception. In this way rich and poor, old and young, contribute to a common cause. The pacifist with the individual with a pronounced belief in the force of arms, is so to speak thrown into the common melting pot. The profiteer is automatically obliterated, whilst the arm-chair critic, the dispenser of white feathers and the conscientious objector, by a machine-like process become as one in an effort that, because it is a piece of law on a statute book, may go a long way to prevent the outbreak of war, and in the event of war is likely to finish it in a very short space of time. The idea has about it a considerable amount of commonsense. We are inclined to suggest that the Colony should have a similar piece of legislation in mind to guard against the possibilities of strikes which are nothing less than attacks on the stability of a friendly place and people. The suggestion is thrown out as a suitable and profitable week-end discussion that should be the cause of some interesting thought. Thrice armed is he who hath his quarrel just, but the getting in of the first blow is also part of a piece of uncontradicted wisdom. We know nothing better to meet such unjust quarrels than the one forced upon us, than a solid wall of conscriptive effort as has been indicated.

## Our Regard for the Past.

Much has been done in recent years both through public subscription and by private effort to preserve for the nation, woods, open spaces and buildings of historic interest. In 1912 it was realised that the suburbs of London must soon extend to Stoke Poges, and that the speculative builder might endanger the seclusion of the country churchyard with inspired Gray's "Elegy." Accordingly, three acres with the Penn Memorial were bought and presented by the late Sir Bernard Oppenheimer and Mr. W. A. Judd, and later, Canon A. T. Barnett and Mr. Judd secured the remaining ten acres of beautiful meadow land fringed with trees and held it until the purchase price could be raised. The deeds have now been handed over to Lord Grey of Fallodon as representing the National Trust. The centenary of Keats is being celebrated by the saving of the old house, with its beautiful garden, at Hampstead, in which much of the poet's finest work was produced. In 1920 the property came into the market as "an eligible building site," but a National Committee was formed and with generous assistance from America the freehold has been bought. It is hoped to restore the premises as a resting-place for the Keats relics bequeathed by Sir Charles Dilke. Lord Curzon's tenure of the Indian Viceroyalty was made memorable by the restoration of many old buildings and monuments, and in recent years he took a leading part in similar work in Britain. He purchased, restored, and re-opened Bodiam Castle, Sussex, which dates from the sixteenth century, and also Tattershall Castle, in Lincolnshire, which dates from 1480 and is one of the earliest instances in which brick was used. The English of Lord Curzon's tenure of the office and the restoration of the House in Lincolnshire has been

## CHINA'S PROBLEM.

### POWERS TO MEET SHORTLY?

INTERESTING REPORTS.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, July 31.  
Reuter learns that nothing is known in well-informed circles regarding any United States proposal for a conference at Peking in the autumn on the question of extraterritoriality in China, though it is true that an Anglo-American exchange of views has been progressing on the subject. It is not thought that anything so concrete has hitherto emerged, but it is known that the British Government has all along been agreeable to the holding of such a conference when practicable. It is felt that the improvement in the situation in China, now apparent, is such as might warrant the convoking of the Powers as envisaged in the Washington Treaty.

## CORRESPONDENCE.

### SHAMEN INCIDENT.

(To the Editor of the China Mail.)

Sir,—The President of the "Canton Christian College" in a very belated explanation (over a month after the incident occurred) states that not one of the framers of the now notorious Resolutions had "any idea whatever of suggesting which side fired first."

But the first Resolution states that "on the afternoon of June 23, 1925, a Chinese patriotic parade marching along the Bund and Shaki, Canton, was fired upon by Shamen troops."

The second Resolution states that "the Parade was proceeding in an orderly manner."

A subsequent Resolution proclaims that its framers are "of opinion that the blame and responsibility for the merciless and unjustified assault rests upon those who directed the fire from the Shamen."

These statements were sung broadcast about the world with all the authority of 17 American professors of an American College of standing.

But to quote Dr. Henry, the Resolutions were "personal expressions of opinion"—do they read like that and under the circumstances could they be taken as such?

Dr. Henry says that before leaving the campus on the morning of June 24, he suggested that the few remaining members of the Foreign Staff (there were obviously 17 still there) should frame some Resolutions suitable to the occasion. When he returned to the campus that night he found that certain Resolutions had been drafted and sent out. No copy was shown him. He was left to discover the Resolutions from a Hongkong newspaper. Is it usual in American Colleges for appeals to the American Government and the American people on matters involving the gravest international complications to be issued by individual members of the Staff, acting collectively as such, without the Head of the College seeing the text of the document either before or after it was promulgated? Whatever may have been the intention of the framers of the resolutions, the fact remains that there has gone out from the "Canton Christian College" to the World a statement which has been interpreted and will continue to be interpreted, as a responsible protest uttered by people in authority against an act of wanton and unnecessary brutality committed by the French and British defenders of the Shamen. This charge, which can never now be overtaken, has done and is still doing incalculable damage to European prestige throughout China and the East generally.

We had hoped that, faced by incontrovertible evidence proving that this charge cannot be substantiated, Dr. Henry would have issued on behalf of his College an unconditional withdrawal. Nothing short of this will satisfy his critics. Nothing short of this will enable the British in Hongkong and elsewhere to decide whether Dr. Henry accepts or repudiates on behalf of the "Canton Christian College," of which he is the responsible "Head," the position which 17 members of his Staff took up and proclaimed to the World on June 24, and from which they have not yet receded.

Yours, etc.,  
P. H. HOLYOAK.  
Hongkong, July 31, 1925.

ple of an Elizabethan mansion. It is thought likely that the castles have been bequeathed to the nation and will pass under the care of the Office of Works. The secretary of the Society for the Protection of Ancient Buildings states that despite the decision of the London County Council to demolish and replace Waterloo Bridge, powerful influences are at work which may result in the bridge being allowed to remain.

## RUBBER EXPORTS.

### INCREASED PERCENTAGE ALLOWED.

CONCESSIONS APPROVED.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, July 31.  
The Colonial Office states that it is officially announced that the percentage of the standard production of rubber exportable under the minimum duty from Ceylon, the Straits Settlements and the Malay States for the quarter beginning August 1 has been fixed at 75, being a ten per cent. increase over the preceding quarter.

His Majesty's Government have approved certain concessions with regard to the assessment of standard production in Malaya proposed by the High Commissioner of the Malay States. It is anticipated that the effect thereof, together with the recent release by the High Commissioner under legal advice of 6,000 tons of uncoupons rubber in Malaya, will materially ease the situation.

## EARLIER NEWS.

London, July 31.  
The industrial group in the House of Commons received a deputation of the Rubber Manufacturers' Association, who pleaded for a modification of the Stevenson scheme to the extent of 5 to 10 per cent. above the present level, otherwise, it was declared, many of the smaller rubber manufacturers would be compelled to go out of business within the next few months. The group promised to consider all the facts and seek an early opportunity of discussing the matter with Mr. L. C. M. S. Amery, Secretary of the Colonies.

## DEARER PAPER.

### INDIA INDUSTRY'S OUTLOOK.

THE USE OF BAMBOO.

(Reuter's Service.)

Simla, India, July 31.  
The report of the Tariff Board on the application of Protection to the paper and paper pulp industries opines that the industry is not likely to survive without protection; it therefore recommends that the existing 15 per cent. ad valorem duty on all sorts of writing paper and printing paper, other than newsprint, containing 65 per cent. t.m.r. more mechanical pulp, be changed to a specific duty of one anna a pound. No change of duty is proposed on any other kind of paper.

The Board does not recommend a protective duty on pulp. The Board opines that bamboo pulp holds immense possibilities in the production of cheap paper in India and recommends the Government to explore the question fully. By assisting the bamboo pulp industry up to the maximum Government liability of twenty lakhs the Board holds that abundant supplies of bamboo are likely to become the basis of a considerable industry, capable of meeting the country's requirements, and even providing substantial quantities of paper pulp for export if world prices of paper remain as at present. The bamboo development will be slow, but the rapid diminution of European and American supplies of coniferous wood, justifies the belief that the increase in the price of paper is inevitable.

## DUTCH POLITICS.

### NEW CABINET TAKES OFFICE.

(Reuter's Service.)

The Hague, July 31.  
A new Cabinet has been constituted as follows:—Premier, Minister of Finance, ad interim, Secretary for the Colonies, M. Collin; Foreign Minister, M. Jonkheer Van Karnebeek; Minister of the Interior and Agriculture, M. Degeer; Minister of Justice, M. Schokking; Minister of Education and Fine Arts, M. Rutgers; Minister of War and Marine, ad interim, Major Lambooy; Minister of Waterways, Railways and Posts, M. Bougaert; Minister of Labour, Commerce and Industry, M. Koolen.

## SAFELY THROUGH.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, July 31.  
The House of Commons has passed the third reading of the Unemployment Insurance Bill, a Labour motion for rejection being defeated by 283 to 98 votes.

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| "SICILIA"   | 8,613  | 20th Aug.             | S'pore, Penang, Col'bo & B'bay                   |
| "MACEDONIA" | 11,089 | 27th Aug.             | Marseilles and London                            |
| "KILDEPORE" | 8,234  | 27th Aug.             | Marseilles, Casablanca, London & Antwerp         |
| "HARRUNDA"  | 16,297 | 4th Sept.             | Marseilles and London                            |
| "KRYER"     | 9,114  | 18th Sept.            | Port Fouard, Marseilles, London and Antwerp      |
| "KAMALA"    | 9,118  | 3rd Oct.              | Marseilles, London & Antwerp                     |
| "SOUDAN"    | 8,698  | 10th Oct.             | S'pore, Penang, Col'bo & B'bay                   |
| "MALWA"     | 10,241 | 17th Oct.             | Marseilles & London                              |
| "SICILIA"   | 8,613  | 24th Oct.             | S'pore, Penang, Col'bo & B'bay                   |
| "KHIVA"     | 9,135  | 31st Oct.             | Marseilles, London, and Antwerp                  |
| "MANTUA"    | 10,902 | 14th Nov.             | Marseilles and London                            |
| "KALYAN"    | 9,444  | 28th Nov.             | Marseilles, London and Antwerp                   |
| "MORRA"     | 10,911 | 12th Dec.             | Marseilles and London                            |

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|              |       |           |                                                                               |
|--------------|-------|-----------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| "ST. ALBANS" | 4,500 | 5th Aug.  | Manila, Sandakan, Thursday Island, Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney and Melbourne |
| "TANDA"      | 6,963 | 12th Aug. | do.                                                                           |
| "ARAFURA"    | 6,000 | 19th Aug. | do.                                                                           |
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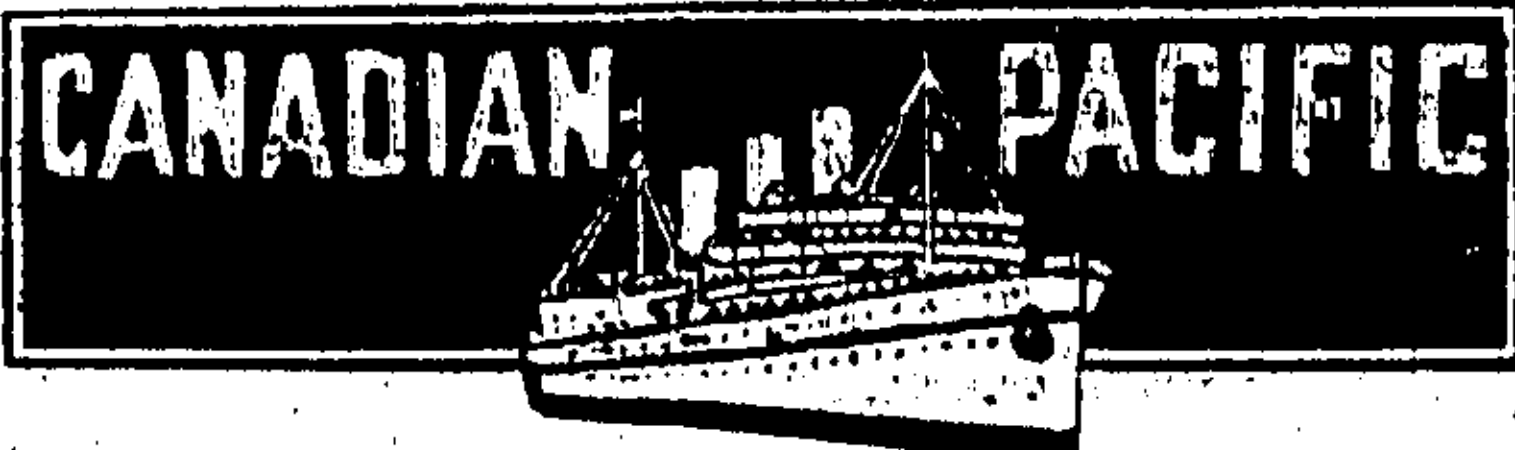
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| "HARRUNDA"   | 16,297 | 21st Aug.  | Shanghai                |
| "KAMALA"     | 9,118  | 28th Aug.  | Shanghai, Moji & Kobe   |
| "ARAFURA"    | 6,000  | 4th Sept.  | Shanghai, Moji & Kobe   |
| "MALWA"      | 10,241 | 11th Sept. | Shanghai and Kobe       |
| "SOUDAN"     | 8,698  | 18th Sept. | Shanghai, Moji & Kobe   |
| "KHIVA"      | 9,135  | 25th Sept. | Shanghai, Moji & Kobe   |
| "SICILIA"    | 8,613  | 2nd Oct.   | Shanghai and Kobe       |
| "ST. ALBANS" | 4,500  | 9th Oct.   | Moji, Kobe and Yokohama |
| "MANTUA"     | 10,902 | 16th Oct.  | Shanghai, Moji & Kobe   |
| "KALYAN"     | 9,144  | 23rd Oct.  | Shanghai, Moji & Kobe   |
| "DELTA"      | 8,097  | 30th Oct.  | Shanghai and Kobe       |
| "TANDA"      | 6,963  | 6th Nov.   | Moji, Kobe and Yokohama |
| "MORRA"      | 10,911 | 13th Nov.  | Shanghai, Moji & Kobe   |
| "ARAFURA"    | 6,000  | 20th Nov.  | Shanghai, Moji & Kobe   |
| "SOUDAN"     | 8,698  | 27th Nov.  | Shanghai, Moji and Kobe |
| "MACEDONIA"  | 11,089 | 4th Dec.   | Shanghai, Moji and Kobe |
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INDUS MARU ... Thursday, 30th August

BANKOK ... Via Saigon

SEIKOW MARU ... Thursday, 13th August

SAGIYA ... Via Singapore and Bangkok

VICTORIA, SEATTLE, YACON & VANCOUVER ... Tuesday, 20th August

ARABIA MARU (From Shanghai) ... Sunday, 2nd August

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TAIKWA MARU ... Wednesday, 5th August

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Hongkong, 30th July, 1925.

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Consignees of cargo per the above-mentioned steamer are hereby notified that owing to the existing strike conditions cargo for Hongkong is being discharged at Singapore where it will be at the risk and expense of the Owners of the goods.

Consignees are accordingly recommended to make the necessary arrangements as regards Insurance, etc.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO., LTD., Agents.

Hongkong, July 27, 1925.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

AMERICAN & MANCHURIAN LINE.

From NEW YORK.

THE Steamship

"MERTON HALL"

having arrived, Consignees of Cargo by her are informed that all goods are being landed at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra-hazardous Godowns of Holt's Wharf, whence delivery may be obtained.

No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after 4th August, 1925, will be subject to rent.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Underwriter on or before 11th August, 1925, or they will not be recognised.

All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on any Tuesdays or Fridays between the hours of 10.45 a.m. and Noon, within the free storage period of one week.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

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Hongkong, 30th July, 1925.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

The Steamship

"LAISANG"

taking cargo and passengers will leave for

SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA

on TUESDAY, 28th July, at noon.

**JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., LTD.,**

General Managers.

Hongkong, 21st July, 1925.

THE "GLEN" LINE, LIMITED.

S.S. "PEMBROKESHIRE"

Consignees of cargo for Hongkong ex s.s. "Pembroke" are hereby notified that their cargo, which was landed at Singapore, is now being re-shipped to Hongkong per m.v. "Glenogle", which vessel is due here about the 6th August.

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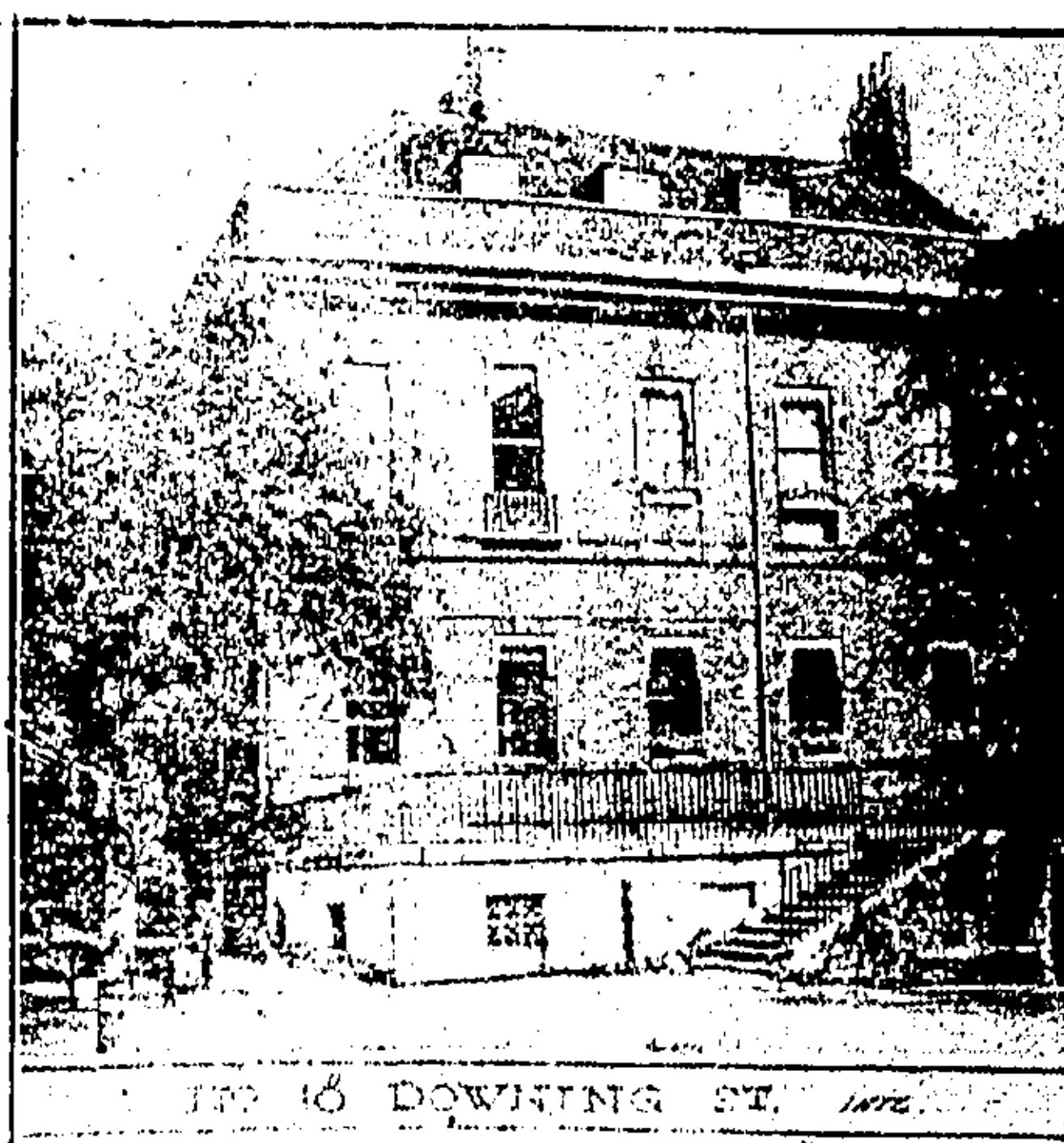
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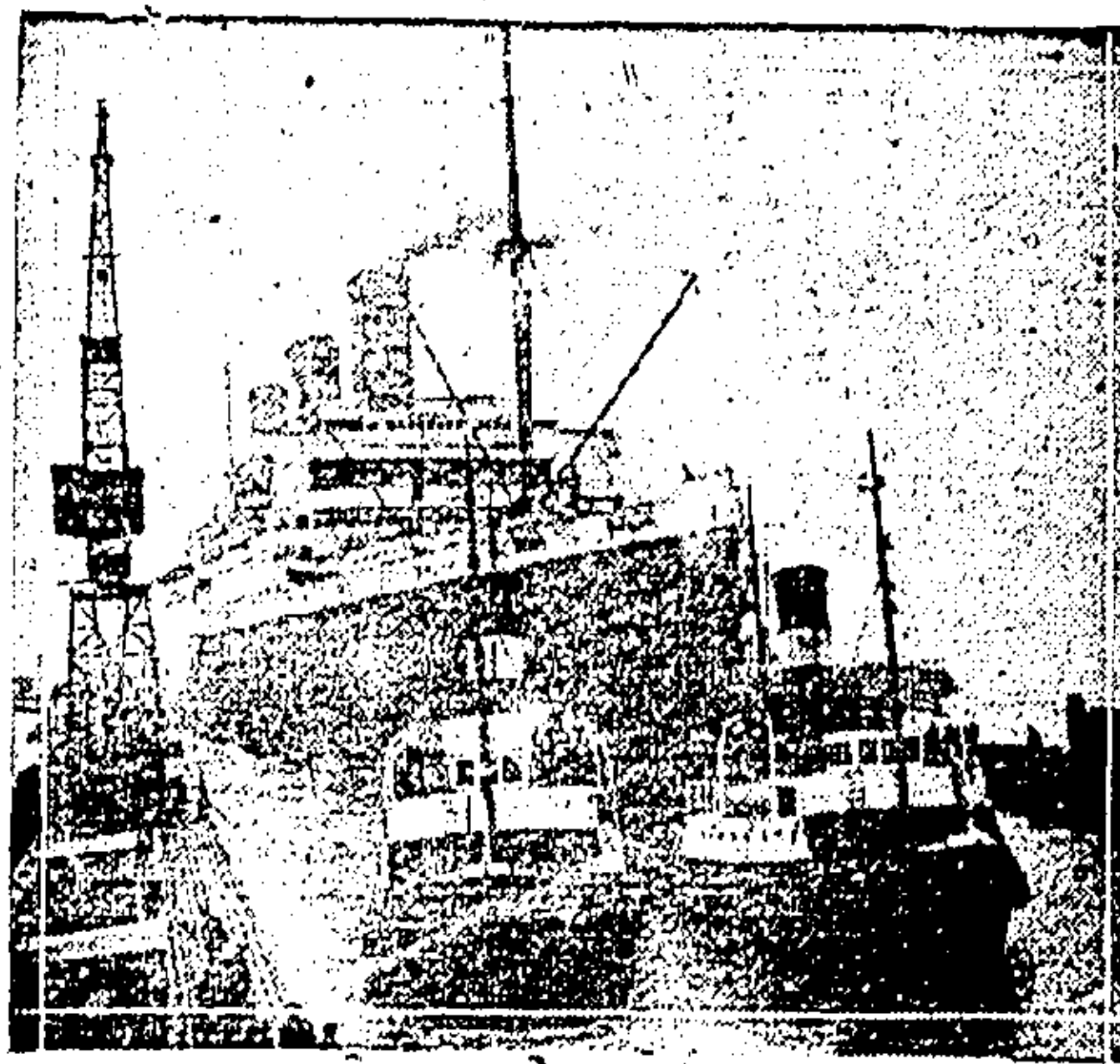
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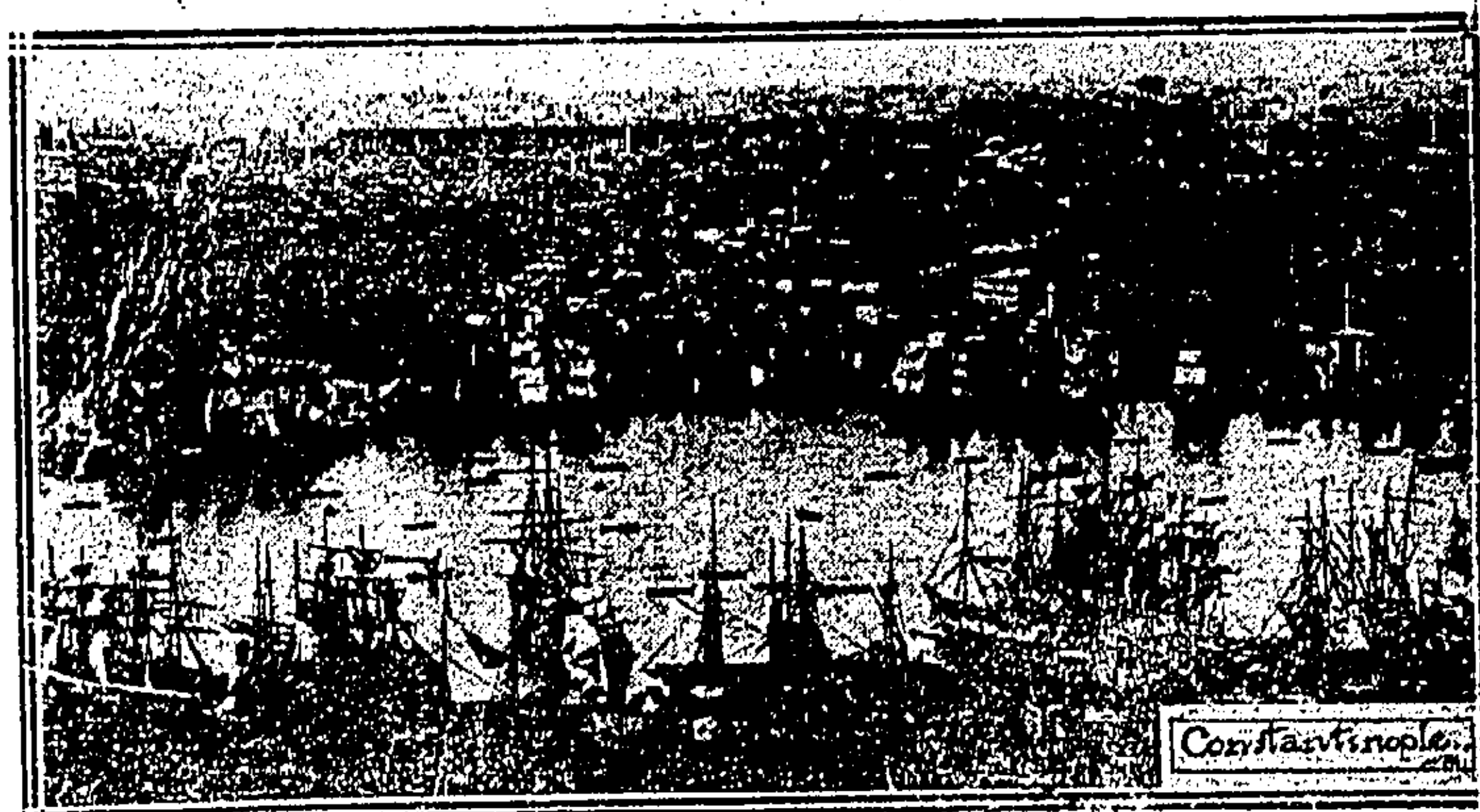


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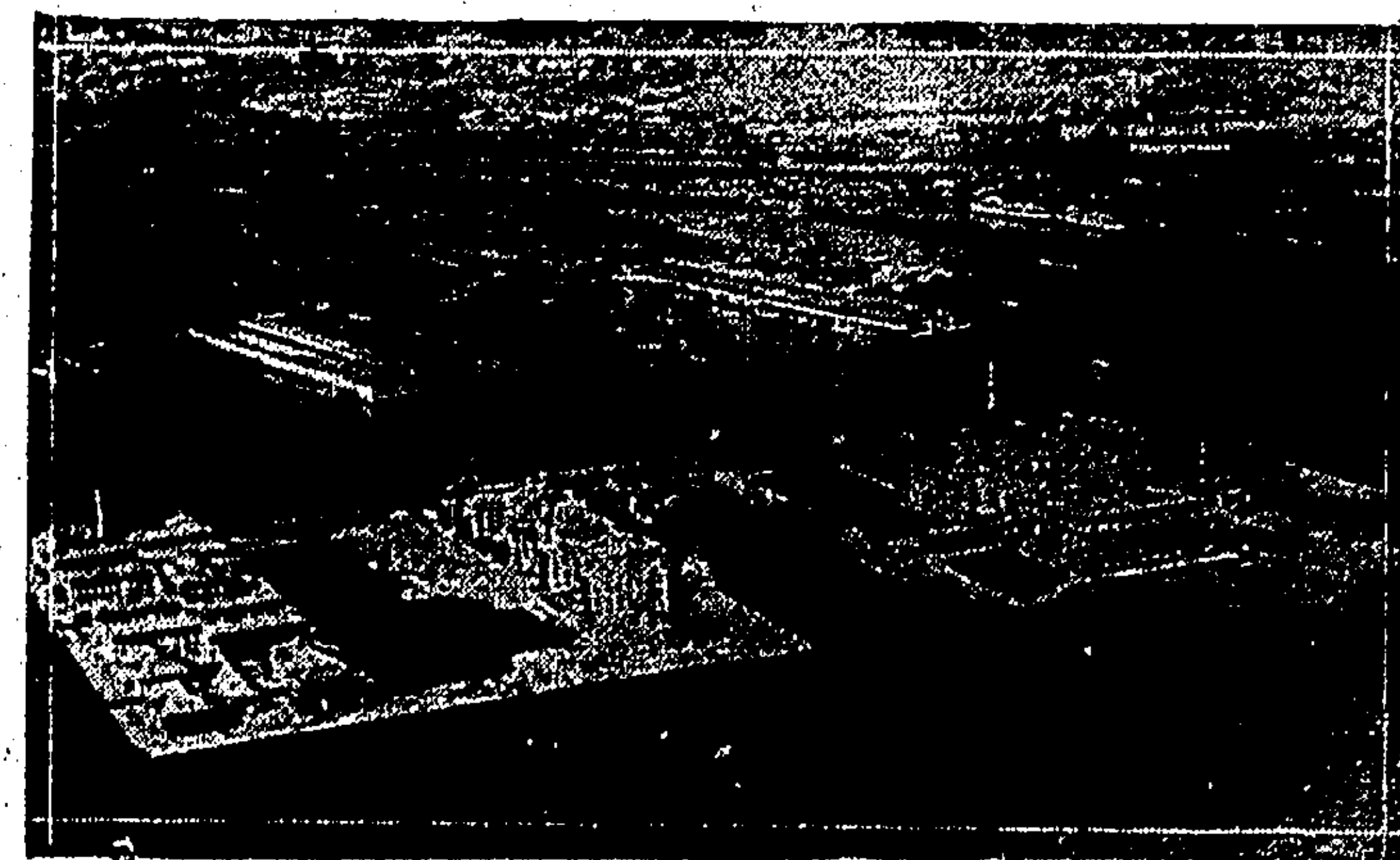


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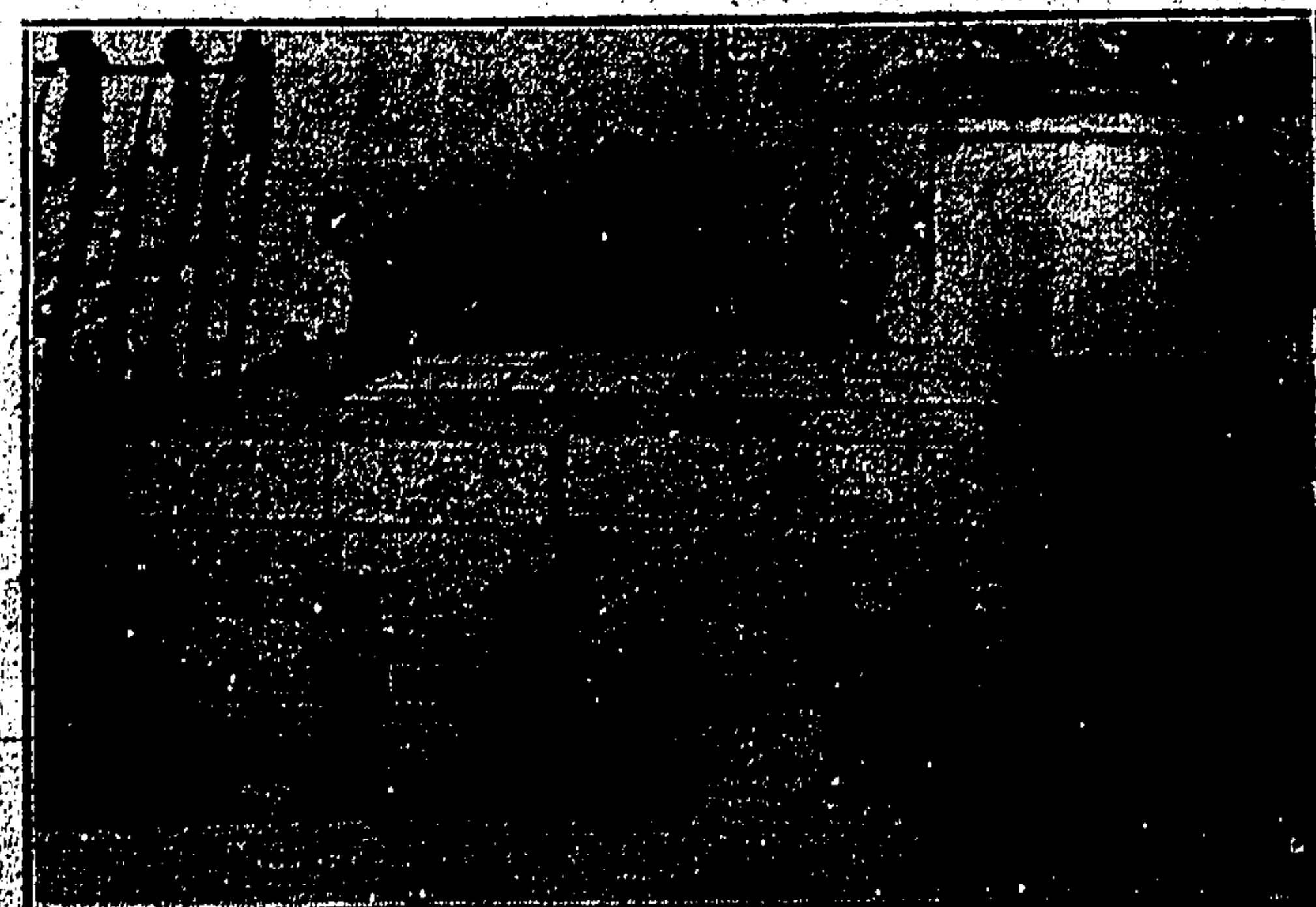
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A photograph of the former city of the Sultans.



Ellis Island, the immigration station, soon to be abolished.



Ships' lower gun over the sea.







